GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2826
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2003
MALAMPUZHA DAM
A.K. PREMAJAM

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware of utilisation of water from Malampuzha Dam in Kerala for industrial purposeby private entrepreneurs;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether water in the dam is insufficient to cater to the irrigation demands of the region; and

(d) if so, the criteria laid down for permitting drawal of water by private sector?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) Government of Kerala has reported that no permission has been given to any private entrepreneurs for utilizing water from Malampuzha Dam for industrial purpose.

(b) & (d) Do not arise.

(c) Yes, Sir.